

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S9941–S10025

Measures Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1476–1480, and S. Res. 164. **Pages S9971–72**

Measures Reported:

S. 423, to amend the Act entitled “An Act to provide for the establishment of Fort Clatsop National Memorial in the State of Oregon”, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 107–69)

S. 941, to revise the boundaries of the Golden Gate National Recreation Area in the State of California, to extend the term of the advisory commission for the recreation area, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 107–70)

S. 1057, to authorize the addition of lands to Pu‘uhonua o Honaunau National Historical Park in the State of Hawaii. (S. Rept. No. 107–71)

S. 1097, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to issue right-of-way permits for natural gas pipelines within the boundary of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. (S. Rept. No. 107–72)

S. 1105, to provide for the expeditious completion of the acquisition of State of Wyoming lands within the boundaries of Grand Teton National Park., with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 107–73)

H.R. 146, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating the Great Falls Historic District in Paterson, New Jersey, as a unit of the National Park System.

H.R. 182, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate a segment of the Eight Mile River in the State of Connecticut for study for potential addition to the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. (S. Rept. No. 107–75)

H.R. 1000, to adjust the boundary of the William Howard Taft National Historic Site in the State of Ohio, to authorize an exchange of land in connection with the historic site. (S. Rept. No. 107–76)

H.R. 1668, to authorize the Adams Memorial Foundation to establish a commemorative work on Federal land in the District of Columbia and its environs to honor former President John Adams and his legacy. (S. Rept. No. 107–77)

Report to accompany S. 703, to extend the effective period of the consent of Congress to the interstate compact relating to the restoration of Atlantic salmon to the Connecticut River Basin and creating the Connecticut River Atlantic Salmon Commission. (S. Rept. No. 107–78) **Page S9971**

Department of Defense Authorization: Senate resumed consideration of S. 1438, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2002 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military constructions, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Adopted:

Dodd Amendment No. 1750, to extend firefighter assistance through fiscal year 2004. **Pages S9956–60**

Levin/Warner Amendment No. 1793, to authorize the appropriation of \$8,000,000 for military construction for the Air Force for airfield repairs at Masirah Island, Oman. **Pages S9960–65**

Warner/Levin Amendment No. 1794, to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to acquire land for the Harvey Point Defense Testing Activity in Hertford, North Carolina. **Pages S9960–65**

Levin (for Feingold) Amendment No. 1795, to provide for the conveyance of the excess Army Reserve Center in Kewaunee, Wisconsin. **Pages S9960–65**

Warner/Levin Amendment No. 1796, to increase by \$22,700,000 the amount for the Air Force for missile procurement for the nuclear detonation detection system program, and to provide an offset.

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Levin (for Carnahan) Amendment No. 1797, make permanent the authority to provide transitional

health care for members of the Armed Forces who are involuntarily separated, and to extend eligibility for transitional health care under that authority to mobilized members of the reserve components.

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Warner (for Stevens) Amendment No. 1798, to make available \$230,255,000 for Environmental Restoration, Formerly Used Defense Sites.

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Levin (for Dorgan) Amendment No. 1799, to require a plan to ensure that the embarkation of civilian guests does not interfere with the operational readiness and safe operation of Navy vessels.

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Warner (for Lott) Amendment No. 1800, to express the sense of the Senate on defense burdensharing by allies of the United States.

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Levin (for Bingaman) Amendment No. 1801, to make available \$650,000 for the Defense Language Institute Foreign Language Center for an expanded Arabic language program.

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Warner (for Lott) Amendment No. 1802, to authorize \$3,000,000 for the replacement or refurbishment of air handlers and related control systems at Keesler AFB Medical Center.

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Levin (for Bingaman) Amendment No. 1803, to require an annual assessment and report on the vulnerability of Department of Energy facilities terrorist attack.

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Warner Amendment No. 1804, to eliminate a restriction on the use of certain vessels previously authorized to be sold.

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Levin (for Durbin) Amendment No. 1805, to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to fund Department of Veterans Affairs space renovations when the Secretary of Veterans Affairs makes additional land available to the Navy at Great Lakes Naval Training Center.

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Warner (for Bond/Byrd) Amendment No. 1806, to provide an amount for the training of active duty and reserve component personnel in the management of the consequences of an incident involving the use or threat of use of a weapon of mass destruction.

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Levin (for Rockefeller) Amendment No. 1807, to authorize the acceptance of contributions for the repair of the damage to the Pentagon Reservation caused by the terrorist attack on September 11, 2001 or establishment of a memorial of the attack at the Pentagon Reservation.

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Warner (for McCain) Amendment No. 1808, to authorize payment of career continuation bonuses for aviation officers and surface warfare officers for early commitments to remain on active duty.

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Levin (for Bingaman/Domenici) Amendment No. 1809, to authorize, with an offset, an additional \$6,500,000 for research, development, test, and evaluation Defense-wide, with \$5,000,000 allocated for the Big Crow Program and \$1,500,000 allocated for the Defense Systems Evaluation program.

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Warner (for Lott) Amendment No. 1810, to authorize \$2,500,000 for appropriations in section 201(1), in PE62303A214 for Enhanced Scramjet Mixing.

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Levin (for Cleland/Miller) Amendment No. 1811, to authorize, with an offset, \$2,800,000 for the Special Operations Forces Command, Control, Communications, Computers, and Intelligence Systems Threat Warning and Situational Awareness (PRIVATEER) program.

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Warner Amendment No. 1812, to set aside funds for the critical infrastructure protection initiative of the Navy.

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Levin (for Conrad) Amendment No. 1813, to provide for a report and certain recommendations on options for providing the helicopter support missions for the ICBM wings at Minot AFB, North Dakota; Malmstrom AFB, Montana; and F.E. Warren AFB, Wyoming, for as long as these missions are required.

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Warner (for Hutchison) Amendment No. 1814, to require a report on health and disability benefits for pre-accession training and education programs.

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Levin (for Johnson) Amendment No. 1815, to express the sense of the Senate that the Secretary of the Treasury should immediately issue savings bonds, to be designated as “Unity Bonds”, in response to the terrorist attacks against the United States on September 11, 2001.

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Warner Amendment No. 1816, to provide for personnel pay and qualifications authority for Department of Defense Pentagon Reservation civilian law enforcement and security force.

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Levin (for Kennedy) Amendment No. 1817, to further improve benefits under the TRICARE program.

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Warner Amendment No. 1818, to amend Title 5 of the United States Code to authorize payment of hostile fire pay to civilian employees of the federal government under certain conditions.

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Levin (for Kennedy) Amendment No. 1819, to provide family support benefits for the families of members of the Armed Forces involved in national emergency operations of the Armed Forces.

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Warner (for Collins) Amendment No. 1820, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation, in consultation with the Secretary of Defense, to waive, or

limit the application of, vehicle weight limits applicable to a route on the Interstate System in the State of Maine during a period of national emergency.

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A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing for consideration of the bill on Tuesday, October 2, 2001, with a vote on the motion to close further debate on the bill to occur at 10 a.m.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nomination:

Marianne Lamont Horinko, of Virginia, to be Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste, Environmental Protection Agency. **Pages S10024, S10025**

Messages From the House: **Page S9971**

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Additional Cosponsors: **Pages S9972–73**

Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:
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Additional Statements: **Pages S9970–71**

Amendments Submitted: **Pages S9981–S10024**

Privilege of the Floor: **Page S10024**

Adjournment: Senate met at 12 noon and adjourned at 7:40 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, October 2, 2001. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S10025.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. It will meet on Tuesday, Oct. 2 at 12:30 p.m. for morning hour debate.

Committee Meetings

USE OF PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS AS A MANAGEMENT TOOL FOR FEDERAL REAL PROPERTY

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Technology and Procurement Policy held a hearing on "The Use of Public-Private Partnerships as a Management Tool for Federal Real Property." Testimony was heard from Representative Sessions; Bernard Ungar, Director, Physical Infrastructure Issues, GAO; Stephen Perry, Administrator, GSA; Ray DuBois, Deputy Under Secretary, Installations and Environment, Department of Defense; Anatolij Kushnir, Director, Office of Asset Enterprise Management, Department of Veterans Affairs; and public witnesses.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST of September 20, 2001, p. D930)

H.R. 2603, to implement the agreement establishing a United States-Jordan free trade area. Signed on September 28, 2001. (Public Law 107–43)

H.J. Res. 65, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2002. Signed on September 28, 2001. (Public Law 107–44)

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of October 2 through October 6, 2001

Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, Senate will continue consideration of S. 1438, Department of Defense Authorization, with a vote on the motion to close further debate on the bill to occur at 10 a.m.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any other cleared legislative and executive business, including appropriation bills when available.

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Appropriations: October 3, Subcommittee on Treasury and General Government, to hold hearings to examine northern border security status, 9:30 a.m., SD–124.

October 3, Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, to hold hearings to examine bioterrorism issues, 10:30 a.m., SH–216.

Committee on Armed Services: October 4, to hold hearings to examine the Department of Defense's Quadrennial Defense Review, 9:30 a.m., SH–216.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: October 2, to hold oversight hearings to examine the activities of the Trade Promotion Coordinating Committee, 10 a.m., SD–538.

October 4, Full Committee, business meeting to mark up the proposed International Money Laundering Abatement and Anti-Terrorist Financing Act of 2001, 10 a.m., SD-538.

October 4, Subcommittee on Housing and Transportation, to hold hearings to examine current transit safety issues, 2:30 p.m., SD-538.

Committee on the Budget: October 2, to hold hearings to examine the economic outlook of the United States, 10 a.m., SD-562.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: October 2, Subcommittee on Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine, to hold hearings to examine passenger and cargo security issues in the railroad and maritime industries, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: October 2, to hold hearings to examine the status of proposals for the transportation of natural gas from Alaska to markets in the lower forty-eight states and on proposed legislation that may be required to expedite the construction of a pipeline from Alaska, 10 a.m., SD-366.

October 2, Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests, to hold oversight hearings to examine the interaction of old-growth forest protection initiatives and national forest policy, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

October 3, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Jeffrey D. Jarrett, of Pennsylvania, to be Director of the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement; and the nomination of Harold Craig Manson, of California, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, both of the Department of the Interior, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Finance: October 3, to hold hearings to examine the need for an economic stimulus package and its potential components, 11 a.m., SD-215.

October 4, Full Committee, to hold hearings on the nomination of Jo Anne Barnhart, of Delaware, to be Commissioner of Social Security, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: October 4, to resume hearings to examine the security of critical governmental infrastructure, 9:30 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: October 2, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Eugene Scalia, of Virginia, to be Solicitor for the Department of Labor, 10:30 a.m., SD-430.

October 4, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine current job training issues relative to a fragile economy, 10 a.m., SD-430.

October 5, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the economic security of working Americans and those out of work, 9:30 a.m., SD-430.

Committee on the Judiciary: October 3, Subcommittee on Constitution, Federalism, and Property Rights, to hold hearings to examine how to protect Constitutional freedoms in the face of terrorism, 10 a.m., SD-226.

October 4, Full Committee, business meeting to mark up pending calendar business, 10 a.m., SD-226.

October 4, Full Committee, to hold hearings on pending nominations, 2 p.m., SD-226.

House Chamber

Monday, the House was not in session;

Tuesday, consideration of Suspensions:

(1) H.R. 169, Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation;

(2) H.J. Res. 42, establishing that the American flags on all Federal office buildings will be lowered to half-staff each year in honor of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service in Emmitsburg, Maryland;

(3) H.R. 203, National Small Business Regulatory Assistance;

(4) H.R. 2666, Vocational and Technical Entrepreneurship Development;

(5) H. Res. , Congratulating Cal Ripken;

(6) H. Res. 198, Congratulating Tony Gwynn;

(7) H.R. 2385, Virgin River Dinosaur Footprint Preserve;

(8) H.R. 1161, Tomas G. Masaryk Memorial;

(9) H.R. 1456, Booker T. Washington National Monument Boundary Adjustment; and

(10) H.R. 1384, Navajo Long Walk National Historic Trail.

Wednesday and the Balance of the Week, consideration of H.R. 2646, Farm Security Act (subject to a rule); and

Consideration of H.R. 2883, Intelligence Authorization Act (subject to a rule).

House Committees

Committee on Education and the Workforce, October 4, hearing on Over Identification Issues within the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act and the Need for Reform, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, October 3, to mark up the following: a measure to amend the Antiterrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act of 1996 with respect to the responsibilities of the Secretary of Health and Human Services regarding biological agents and toxins, and to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to such agents and toxins; a measure to strengthen security at certain nuclear facilities; and a measure to clarify the application of cable television system privacy requirements to new cable services, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

October 3, Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection, to mark up the American Spirit Fraud Prevention Act, 1 p.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Financial Services, October 3, hearing entitled "Dismantling the Financial Infrastructure of Global Terrorism," 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, October 3, Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy, and Human Resources, hearing on "Drug Trade and the Terror Network," 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

October 4, Subcommittee on Technology and Procurement Policy, hearing on "Transforming the IT and Acquisition Workforces: Using Market-Based Pay, Recruiting Strategies to Make the Federal Government an Employer of Choice for IT and Acquisition Employees," 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

October 5, Subcommittee on Government Efficiency, Financial Management and Intergovernmental Relations, hearing on "A Silent War: Are Federal, State, and Local Governments Prepared for Biological and Chemical Attacks?" 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, October 3, hearing on Al Qaeda and the Global Research of Terrorism, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

October 3, Subcommittee on International Operations and Human Rights, hearing on the Role of the International Atomic Energy Agency in Safeguarding Against Acts of Terrorism, 1 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

October 4, Subcommittee on the Middle East and South Asia, hearing on U.S. Policy Toward Iraq, 1 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on Resources, October 2, Subcommittee on Water and Power, to mark up H.R. 2115, to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the design, planning, and construction of a project to reclaim and reuse wastewater within and outside of the service area of the Lakehaven Utility District, Washington, 2 p.m., 1324 Longworth.

October 3, full Committee, to mark up the following measures: H.R. 400, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to establish the Ronald Reagan Boyhood Home National Historic Site; H.R. 980, to establish the Moccasin Bend National Historic Site in the State of Tennessee; H.R. 1576, James Peak Wilderness, Wilderness Study, and Protection Area Act; H.R. 1776, Buffalo Bayou National Heritage Area Study Act; H.R. 2488, to designate certain lands in the Pilot Range in the State of Utah as wilderness; H.R. 2924, to provide authority to the Federal Power Marketing Administration to reduce vandalism and destruction of property; H.R. 2925, to amend the Reclamation Recreation Management Act of 1992 in order to provide for the security of dams, facilities, and resources under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Reclamation; the Healing Opportunities in Parks and the Environment Pass Act; and to consider the issuance of a subpoena; to be followed by an oversight hearing on Potential Alternative Energy Sources Available on National Public Lands, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

October 4, Subcommittee on National Parks, Recreation and Public Lands, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 38, Homestead National Monument of America Additions Act; and H.R. 1925, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating the Waco Mammoth Site Area in Waco, Texas, as a unity of the National Park System, 10 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

Committee on Rules, October 2, to consider H.R. 2646, Farm Security Act of 2001, 3 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

October 3, to consider H.R. 2883, Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal year 2001 and to mark up H.R. 981, Budget Responsibility and Efficiency Act of 2001, 2:30 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

Committee on Science, October 3, to mark up H.R. 64, to provide for the establishment of the position of Deputy Administrator for Science and Technology of the Environmental Protection Agency, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

October 4, Subcommittee on Environment, Technology, and Standards, hearing on Arsenic in Drinking Water: An Update on the Science, Benefits and Cost, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, October 2, Subcommittee on Railroads, hearing on H.R. 2950, Rail Infrastructure Development and Expansion Act of the 21st Century, 2 p.m., 2167 Rayburn.

October 3, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, hearing on the Wetlands Permitting Process: Is it Working Fairly? 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, October 4, Subcommittee on Health, to mark up pending business, 2 p.m., 334 Cannon.

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, October 3, Subcommittee on Intelligence Policy and National Security, executive, briefing on Financial Intelligence Issues, 2 p.m., H-405 Capitol.

October 3, Subcommittee on Terrorism and Homeland Security, hearing on "Defending the Homeland: Reports of the Defense Science Board on biological, chemical, nuclear and other asymmetric threats and defenses," 10 a.m., room to be announced.

Joint Meetings

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: October 3, to hold hearings to examine United States policy toward the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE), the institution which evolved from the Helsinki process, 10 a.m., SR-485.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.
The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through September 30, 2001

	<i>Senate</i>	<i>House</i>	<i>Total</i>
Days in session	126	100	..
Time in session	909 hrs., 48'	622 hrs., 52'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	9,938	6,066	16,004
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	..	..
Public bills enacted into law	10	34	44
Private bills enacted into law	1	..	1
Bills in conference	10	9	..
Measures passed, total	246	347	593
Senate bills	44	11	..
House bills	45	145	..
Senate joint resolutions	5	3	..
House joint resolutions	3	7	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	25	3	..
House concurrent resolutions	28	55	..
Simple resolutions	96	123	..
Measures reported, total	142	213	355
Senate bills	82	2	..
House bills	12	133	..
Senate joint resolutions	3	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	5	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	11	..	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	..	11	..
Simple resolutions	34	62	..
Special reports	18	7	..
Conference reports .....	..	4	..
Measures pending on calendar .....	..	42	..
Measures introduced, total	1,724	3,520	5,244
Bills	1,466	2,972	..
Joint resolutions	22	65	..
Concurrent resolutions	73	237	..
Simple resolutions	163	246	..
Quorum calls	3	3	..
Yea-and-nay votes	288	202	..
Recorded votes .....	..	154	..
Bills vetoed .....	..	..	..
Veto overridden .....	..	..	..

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through September 30, 2001

Civilian nominations, totaling 772, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	366
Unconfirmed	178
Withdrawn	66
Returned to White House	162
Other Civilian nominations, totaling 1,533, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,115
Unconfirmed	167
Returned to White House	251
Air Force nominations, totaling 4,659, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	4,608
Unconfirmed	5
Returned to White House	46
Army nominations, totaling 6,113, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	5,920
Unconfirmed	85
Returned to White House	108
Navy nominations, totaling 4,103, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	4,046
Unconfirmed	28
Returned to White House	29
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,611, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,570
Unconfirmed	20
Returned to White House	21
<i>Summary</i>	
Total nominations carried over from the First Session	0
Total nominations received this Session	20,791
Total confirmed	19,625
Total unconfirmed	483
Total withdrawn	66
Total Returned to White House	617

Next Meeting of the SENATE

9:30 a.m., Tuesday, October 2

Senate Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Senate will continue consideration of S. 1438, Department of Defense Authorization, with a vote on the motion to close further debate on the bill.

(Senate will recess from 12:30 p.m., until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences.)

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

12:30 p.m., Tuesday, October 2

House Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Consideration of Suspensions:

(1) H.R. 169, Notification and Federal Employee Anti-discrimination and Retaliation;

(2) H.J. Res. 42, establishing that the American flags on all Federal office buildings will be lowered to half-staff each year in honor of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service in Emmitsburg, Maryland;

(3) H.R. 203, National Small Business Regulatory Assistance;

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(8) H.R. 1161, Tomas G. Masaryk Memorial;

(9) H.R. 1456, Booker T. Washington National Monument Boundary Adjustment; and

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